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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Leonard T. CHAPMAN  
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FOR: CAMERA CRANE

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**Transmittal of Continuation-in-Part Patent Application**  
**for Filing Under 37 CFR §1.53(b)**

Mail Stop Patent Application  
Commissioner For Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing is a Continuation-in-Part patent application by inventor Leonard T. Chapman, and entitled:

**CAMERA CRANE**

1. Enclosed are:

- ☒ One stamped, self-addressed postcard for PTO datestamp.
- ☒ Certificate of Express Mail.
- ☒ One utility patent application containing text pages 1-41 and
  - ☒ 19 Sheets of drawings.
- ☒ Declaration of Inventorship.
- ☒ Power of Attorney by Assignee and Certification Under 37 CFR §3.73(b).
- ☒ Assignment, with Recordation Form Cover Sheet

2. Extension of Time

- ☒ Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: An Extension of Time is requested to provide for timely filing if required to establish copendency with the parent after all papers filed herewith have been considered.

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3. U.S. Priority

- ☒ This Application is a Continuation-in-Part of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/462,565, filed June 16, 2003, and now pending, which is a Continuation-in-Part of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/840,625, filed April 23, 2001, now U.S. Patent No. 6,579,016, which is a Continuation-in-Part of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/616,587, filed July 14, 2000, now U.S. Patent No. 6,450,706, which is a Continuation-in-Part of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/584,561 filed on May 31, 2000, now abandoned. These applications are incorporated herein by reference.

4. Entity Status

- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR §1.27

5. Fees

The filing fee has been calculated as follows:

| For:  | (Col. 1)<br>No. Filed | (Col. 2)<br>No.<br>Extra | Small Entity |          |
|---|-----------------------|--------------------------|--------------|----------|
|   |                       |                          | Rate         | Fee      |
| Basic Fee   |                       |                          |              | \$375.00 |
| Total Claims  | 19 - 20               | 0                        | x \$ 9 =     | \$       |
| Independent Claims  | 5 - 3                 | 2                        | x \$42 =     | \$ 84.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent Claim Presented             |                       |                          | + \$140 =    | \$       |
| Assignment Recordation fee  |                       |                          |              | \$ 40.00 |
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- ☒ A check in the amount of \$499.00 is enclosed to cover the Filing Fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 50-2586.

Respectfully submitted,  
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